DOOMED WOMAN, MAN BATTLE FOR LIFE

ARMY FLIERS SOAR TO NEW RECORDS

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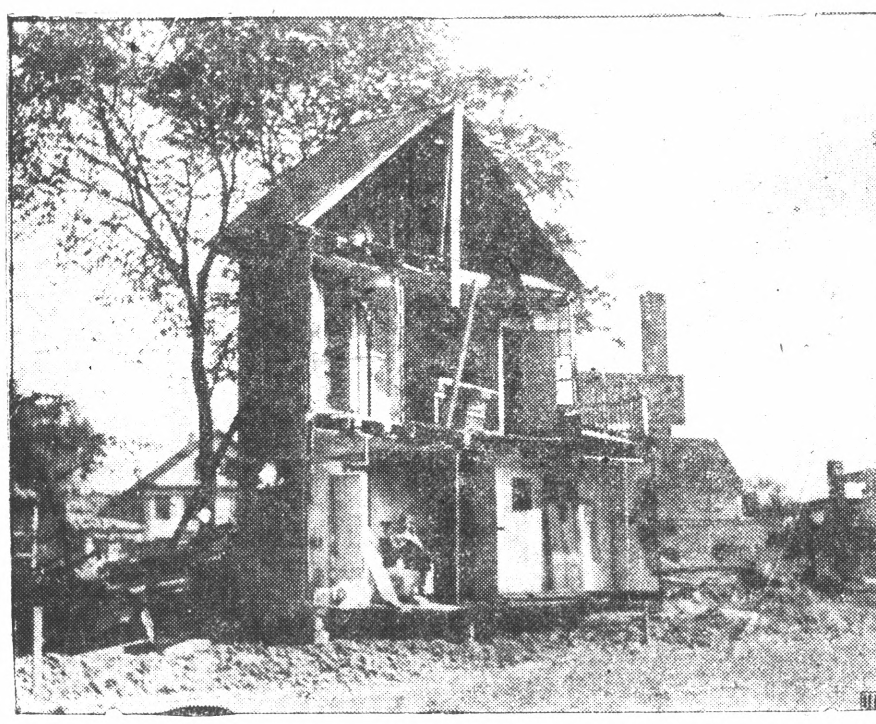
It's All Cut Up

WOMEN MAY BE NAMED AS 'APE BOY' JURORS



SHOWING what happens when you have a dispute with the state of Massachusetts. A citizen in Milton, Mass., refused state's offer of compensation for his property. The commonwealth needed a new road so they went right ahead and built it house or no. The owner in his "living room" is awaiting court action in the case.

Gasoline Goes To 20c In Price War

With the announcement yesterday by a group of Richmond independent service station operators that effective today gasoline would retail at 20 cents in their service stations the gasoline price war took a new turn.

Prices have been ranging from 16 to 21 cents during the recent weeks with stations owned by the oil companies charging the higher prices.

Following the announcement of the Standard Oil company that it would lease any of its company stations, a number of stations have been leased by individuals in Oakland and Berkeley. Shell is reported to be making a similar move.

Under the leasing terms, Standard and other companies will permit the operator to sell gasoline at any price he chooses, making a discount to dealers buying in large quantities.

Mrs. C. Ledgerwood Seriously Injured

Mrs. Olive Ledgerwood, prominent Richmond woman and worthy matron of Beacon chapter Order of Eastern Star, sustained a broken back following an automobile accident near Walnut Grove, and is now in the Sutter hospital in Sacramento. Hospital attendants say that she has a fighting chance to recover.

According to word received in Richmond yesterday, the accident occurred when the automobile in which she was riding with her son, Albert Ledgerwood of Richmond, skidded and overturned on a slippery pavement. Ledgerwood escaped injury.

Mrs. Ledgerwood was taken to the Sacramento hospital where an examination revealed that two vertebrae had been broken. A. E. Ledgerwood, husband of the injured woman, went to the bedside of his wife yesterday.

Mrs. Ledgerwood has been prominent in club and fraternal circles in Richmond for a number of years and was recently installed as worthy matron of Beacon chapter Order of Eastern Star. She was to have presided over her first meeting tonight.

Woman Takes Life Following Tragedy

OAKLAND, Jan. 4.—Mrs. I. M. Hartley, widow of V. M. Hartley, insurance broker who shot his 15-year old son Herbert and himself to death in the Piedmont hills in 1926, died today at a rooming house at 1231 Adeline street. She is believed to have taken poison.

The woman was found by James A. Grant, owner of the place. A physician was called but Mrs Hartley was dead before he arrived.

Grim tragedy has pursued the Hartley family for years; a tragedy that has been shrouded in mystery. No motive has ever been advanced that satisfys authorities as to the real reasons behind the killing of young Hartley by his father. Hartley took the youth for a walk, shot him dead, then walked a few yards from the body and shot himself.

Hartley was connected with an insurance office here. His papers were audited but proved barren of motive. Mrs. Hartley was convalescing from a serious operation at the time of the double tragedy and the news was kept from her for a long time.

PAIR WILL HANG TODAY

FRANKLIN, La., Jan. 4—(U.P.)—Unless a last desperate legal technicality succeeds, a woman and her paramour will die on a Louisiana gallows Saturday for the murder of the woman's husband.

They are Mrs. Ada Bonner Le Boeuf and Dr. Thomas E. Dreher, convicted of the premeditated murder of James LeBoeuf, denied clemency by Gov. Huey P. Long, and late today adjudged sane by district Judge James D. Simmon of St. Mary's parish.

The crime for which the condemned couple face death occurred on the night of July 1, 1927, while LeBoeuf was on a night boat ride with Mrs. LeBoeuf, Dr. Dreher and a Louisiana trapper, James Beadle, who was convicted of complicity and sentenced to life.

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Shell Oil To Lease Stations In This Section

MARTINEZ, Jan. 4.—Following the lead set by the Standard Oil company, the Shell Oil company will lease its service stations to independent dealers in this district, according to an announcement made today.

Annoucemnet of the change of policy is expected to be made within the next few days.

The Shell, it is understood, will give leasing preference to men now employed at the company's stations. It is understood that offers have been made to employes of the Richmond district.

The Richmond Shell station is located at Thirteenth street and Macdonald avenue.

MRS MAYO ILL

Mrs. Daisy Mayo of 550 Fifth street is confined to her home with a slight attack of influenza.

BRIDGE BIDS REQUESTED BY S. P.

Bids on the construction of the $12,000,000 railroad bridge across the Carquinez straits to link Martinez and Army Point were called yesterday by the Southern Pacific company.

The call was issued to all bidders interested in deep water foundation and steel work. Bidders were warned that actual construction of the bridge awaits congressional permission for a 10-acre right of way through the Benicia arsenal reservation. The right of way has been approved by the war department and a bill giving the company permission to take over the land in exchange for 90 acres of the Southern Pacific land has been passed by the senate.

The span will take two years to build and will be more than a mile long. It will provide for double track equipment. Under the plan announced by the Southern Pacific, Benicia will lose its identity as a main line stop and trains will be routed through Martinez and thence over the bridge.

The structure will have a 70-foot steel girder viaduct of 16 180 foot spans, one 384 foot deck span and one 327 foot lift span. All will rest on concrete piers. The superstructure will be of silicon steel throughout.

Through the use of the bridge 30 minutes will be cut from the Overland route for passenger trains and two hours and 27 minutes for freight. The span point is six and a half miles east of Crockett. It will have an electrically operated lift span that will clear 95 percent of all water traffic without the span being lifted. When open the span will swing 135 feet above the water.

With completion of the bridge the famous train ferry between Port Costa and Benicia, which has been operated since 1879, will be abandoned.

Antioch Coal Mine Reopened

ANTIOCH, Jan. 4.—The old Empire coal mine, which has been idle for more than 40 years on the Lee Higgins ranch near here is being worked again by Roy Carson on a small scale to supply local trade.

The Empire mine, together with the Nortonville and Sommersville properties, 40 years ago were the most thriving places in the county, boasting Contra Costa county's greatest commercial activity.

BISIOS HAVE DAUGHTER

Mr. and Mrs. John Bisio, 629 Sixteenth street, are the proud parents of a daughter born to Mrs. Bissio Thursday. The newcomer has been named Jean Theresa Bisio.

TAXPAYER'S GROUP WILL ORGANIZE DRIVE FRIDAY

Plans for a larger membership in the Contra Costa county committee of the California Taxpayers association will be discussed next Friday night at a dinner meeting in the Hotel Carquinez. Thomas G. LaBlanc of Los Angeles, field representative of the state association arrived in Richmond yesterday to confer with local members in arranging the meeting.

George M. Rolph of the California and Hawaiian sugar refinery in Crockett; W. H. Hanlon, county superintendent of schools; Paul Clagstone, western manager of the United States Chamber of Commerce and LaBlanc will be

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KIDNAP TRY BY ACCUSED YOUTH TOLD BY CHILD, 10

RIVERSIDE, Jan. 4.(UP)—Gordon Stewart Northcott, accused murderer of four Southern California youths, appeared certain tonight to succeed in his effort to have women on the jury which tries him for murder.

When it became evident late today that 12 jurors could not be selected from the original panel of 30, composed entirely of men, Judge George R. Freeman ordered a special new venire of 30 returnable Monday.

Since there was no stipulation to the contrary it was presumed that some women would be on this special panel and it was certain that Northcott's attorneys would attempt to place them in the final trial bodys.

Women Banned

When the first panel was drawn Norbert Savay, counsel for Northcott attempted to have it thrown out on the ground it had not been properly drawn since no women were present. His motion to that effect was over-ruled.

Only 16 talesmen remained in the first group and the defense still retained 17 peremptory challenges when the judge ordered the second venire. The jurist called for the new panel when he perceived the first would be exhausted.

Vile Testimony

Judge Freeman took occasion to point out that women might refuse to sit on a jury in a trial in which "vile testimony" was likely to be introduced.

At the completion of today's session, Judge Freeman adjourned court until Monday, when the task of getting a jury will be resumed.

The monotonous questioning of prospective talesman were broken by two incidents today.

Accused Recognized

A 10 year old boy, John Thompson, told officers he recognized Northcott as the person who attempted to kidnap him near Colton in 1927. Young Thompson identified Northcott after seeing him in the county jail and again in court.

The lad said that the accused slayer took him by the arm, led him through Pickering park and attempted to force him into an automobile. The boy declared that he broke away and ran to his father, whose presence scared Northcott.

The other development was the announcement by Judge Freeman of the commission in whose hands will rest the possibility of Northcott being allowed to introduce an insanity plea in the trial.

The three named were Drs. Edison Steele and M. G. Carter, Los Angeles alienists, and Dr. G. M. Webster, of Patton institute. The court has refused to allow Northcott to plead not guilty by reason of insanity in addition to not guilty but indicated that the decision would be changed if the alienists found the defendant mentally unbalanced.

BUILDING OF HOMES ON INCREASE

January promises to be a banner month for the construction of new homes in Richmond with permits for nine cottages amounting to more than $32,000 having already been issued by Arthur J. Hurley city building inspector.

Permits for the construction of four cottages totaling $12,500 were issued yesterday.

Herbert Green of Oakland secured permits for the construction of three new homes, each to cost $3000. The dwellings will be of frame and stucco construction, each containing five rooms and a garage.

One will be located on the west side of Thirty-third street between Roosevelt and Clinton avenues. A second will be built on the east side of Twenty-second street between Grant and Burbeck avenues. The third will be erected on the east side of Thirty-eighth street between Roosevelt and Clinton avenues.

David Dryden was granted a permit to build a one story cottage and garage on the east side of Thirty-second street between Barrett and Roosevelt avenues at a cost of $2500.

A minor permit was issued to D. G. McGrew to build a one car garage on the south side of Redwood avenue between Forty-third and Forty-fifth streets, costing $50.

FRIDAY IN WASHINGTON

SENATE

Debated Kellogg anti-war treaty.

HOUSE

Considered War Department appropriation bill.

Ancleto Funeral Services Today

Funeral services will be held from the Wilson and Kratzer chapel this afternoon at 1:30 o'clock for Frank Ancleto who died in the Martinez hospital Wednesday night. Rev. Aldis Webb, pastor of the First Christian church will officiate. Interment will be in Sunset View cemetery.

Ancleto for a number of years was proprietor of a barber shop in the Elks' building and was well known in Richmond. He was a member of Bay City Parlor, Native Sons of the Golden West, Moose and Macabees lodges of San Francisco and other fraternal organizations.

Surviving him are his widow Mrs. Nellie Ancleto; a daughter, Frances Ancleto; a son, James Finley and three grandchildren, Edward, Betty and Mary Finley.

Hays Attends Realtor Meet

M. A. Hays, Richmond real estate dealer left for San Jose yesterday morning where he is attending the session of the state directors and directors at large of the California realtors.

Hays as state director for the Richmond Real Estate board will participate in the inauguration of officers and other business to come before the organization.

Distance Mark Captured By Brave Quintet

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 4—(U.P.)—Intent on breaking all records for sustained flight by aircraft of any kind, the great army plane "Question Mark" circled over protected San Fernando valley tonight with three records already bettered.

The crew of five had kept the plane in the air 86 hours at 9:26:45 p. m., and had passed the three and a half day mark two hours earlier.

Based on unofficial army figures the Question Mark was believed to have added the world's distance record to the three sustained flight marks broken.

The Question Mark was to make its twentieth refueling about midnight tonight, contacting in the clear sky over San Fernando valley.

A wild demonstration on the ground and in the sky greeted the Question Mark late today as it returned to its Van Nuys base from Imperial Valley where it cruised as it broke the world's endurance record for heavier-than air craft shortly after midnight.

Twenty planes from Metro-

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Lawrence Of Arabia Sought By Afghans

ALLAHABAD, India, Jan. 4.—(UP)—Afghan authorities have ordered the arrest of Col. Thomas E. Lawrence, famous British adventurer and army officer, on the belief that he has been assisting rebels in the present uprising to cross the frontier, according to advices received here tonight.

Lawrence, known as "Lawrence of Arabia" because of his wartime adventures, was described by authorities as "the arch spy of the world."

Photographs, supposed to be of Lawrence, were distributed among Afghan army commanders.

It was reported from Delhi that rumors were current concerning plans for a fresh assault on Kabul, captial of Afghanistan, which was successfully defended recently by government troops when insurrgents attacked. The rebel tribesmen revolted against King Amanullah's reform laws.

11 Bandits Hanged At Scene Of Crime

MEXICO CITY, Jan. 4.(U.P.)—Eleven bandits were executed near Aguas Calientes today when they were caught preparing to wreck a train from Juarez, according to the newspaper Grafico's correspondent.

The bandit leader, Melton Espinosa, was one of those executed, the advices said.

The bodies of the bandits were hanged from telegraph poles as a warning to others.

It was recalled that President Portes Gil's recent order prohibiting further summary executions specifically excluded bandits captured on charges of interfering with transportation lines.

East Richmond Bus To Improve Service

Increased week day service on the new Richmond Transit company's East Richmond line will be inaugurated next week, according to an announcement made yesterday by Edward Lucas, operator of the line. The increased schedule is being made for the accommodation of the patrons of the district and particularly the school children, Lucas declared.

The new starting times are a result of careful study of traffic conditions at various hours.

The revised schedule which will be operative beginning Monday morning will be as follows: Starting times at McBryde and San Pablo avenues, times 6 o'clock, 6:30, 7:00, 7:30, 8:00, 8:30, 9:00, 10:00, 10:00, 11:00, 12:00, 1:00, 2:00, 3:00, 4:00, 4:30, 5:00, 5:30, 6:00, 6:30, 7:00, 8:00, 9:00, 10:00, 11:15.

Starting times at Tenth street and Macdonald avenue will be: 6:15, 6:45, 7:15, 7:45, 8:15, 8:45, 9:30, 10:30, 11:30, 12:30, 1:30, 2:30, 3:30, 4:15, 4:45, 5:15, 5:45, 6:15, 6:45, 7:30, 8:30, 9:30, 10:30, 11:45.

The Sunday and holiday schedule will remain as at present, buses leaving McBryde and San Pablo avenues on the hour and Tenth street and Nevin avenue on the half hour.

Mystery Explosion Rocks Tyson Home

OAKLAND, Jan. 4.—A gas explosion rocked the home of James Tyson, millionaire lumberman, 25 Soleto avenue this morning and injured George Weaving, Tyson's chauffeur.

Weaving was taken to the Oakland Emergeneq hospital by G. Pierce, 3824 Grand avenue, another employe at the Tyson home. Weaving suffered from burns and severe lacerations of both arms received when he broke through a window escape.

Although Weaving said that the explosion occured when he was about to touch a match to the gas water heater in the servants' quarters, Mrs. Tyson declared that the heater was untouched. She declared that there was gasoline in the bathtub and the window curtains above the tub were burned.

An investigation to determine the cause of the blast has been ordered by Mrs. Tyson. Damages to the home were slight.

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PLAIN SPEAKING

The press of the United States generally is supporting and commending the principles of American foreign policy enunciated by President Coolidge in his Armistice Day speech. The only criticism which has been heard is that the statements were too "blunt," that they might offend some of the diplomats of Europe. It occurs to us that bluntness with this situation, if not bluntness, at least plain speaking, and it seems to us that it was this latter virtue with which President Coolidge was dealing in his address. For several years we have seen and heard out internationalists going up and down the land advocating all sorts of aids and subsidies for Europe. We have heard Uncle Sam denounced as a Shylock among nations; we have heard it declared that we ought to forgive the European debt, another phrase for saddling it on our own taxpayers; that we ought to disarm as a pacifist example to the rest of the world.

Statements of this kind have been made by certain internationalists not only in their own country but while they were sojourning in Europe, where many of them seemed to think it the smart thing to apologize for their own country and laud all things European. It is only natural therefore that Europe may have gotten the idea that these mealy-mouthed Americans spoke for the whole country, that their principles were the principles of America, and this may account for some of the trouble we have had in getting working agreements with Europe.

With all this in mind it can be said that Mr. Coolidge did the right thing and proper thing in indulging in plain speaking. He has served notice on the diplomats of Europe that the American foreign policy is not the policy of the European worshippers in the United States but of the great mass of the American people who believe that American interests ought to have paramount consideration from our government. The plain speaking indulged in by President Coolidge ought to clear the atmosphere and convince the Eurpoean diplomats that Uncle Sam is not so big a boob as his internationalist apologists would indicate.

The approval of Mr. Coolidge's enunciation of our foreign policy has been non-partisan and is therefore American. To show this we have only to quote from a distinguished leader of the democratic party, James W. Gerard, ambassador to Germany under Mr. Wilson. In commenting on the president's address, Mr. Girard declared:

"I agree with every word the president said. The United States must adopt a business-like attitude toward Europe. Foreign loans should be curtailed and the moneys devoted to improvement of the conditions of our own people. We can take the Kellogg Peace Pact on faith only.

"We must have more cruisers for national defense. I wish the cruiser bill provided for 30 instead of 15.

"We did all that we could to promote the cause of disarmament, but we must not forget that adequate national defense is necessary for preserving order and peace in the world. When the present British program is carried out, Great Britain will have 68 cruisers. In view of these facts I believe that the 15 cruiser bill now before the senate is far too small a number. It is not a question af competition with other nations, it is a defense necessity.

"Let us serve America first. Let us take care of the poor and suffering in our own country first. Let us perfect our educational system and devote our money to improving every phase of our life. Let us support the president in his plea for more cruisers so that our national defense may be maintained adequately according to world standards."

Here are words of wisdom and patriotism and they are well worth thinking over.

Mussolini, according to press dispatches, gets a salary of only $1250 a year. But look at the fun he has bossing everybody.

What Shall I Wear?

By JUDIE

For a tailored model with belt and sleeve straps of self fabric tan rubber is used, stamped in a reptilian design.

Dear Judie,

I need a new rain coat, and as I am under twenty and like to be up to the minute I am not sure whether to get a trench coat or something newer. What do you say?

V. F. D.

Well, of course trench coats are not new but they are smart as smart can be if well tailored and made of good gabardine. Perhaps you would rather have leather. These cost decidedly more but wear a life time if that is any advantage— it never seemed so to me. The sketch is striking enough and shows that the serpent still fascinates every Eve's daughter of us. The beret basque makes an excellent rainy day hat. Your rain coat must be rather snappily belted.

Yours for style,

JUDIE

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AND THE WORST IS YET TO COME

BEAUTY

Dear Miss Lane,

I am not fat but I have such large hips that I find it very hard to find clothes that are becoming at all. Isn't there some way I can reduce my hips without losing weight otherwise?

ANXIOUS

Well, you can try:

Lie on your back on the floor with your hands at your sides. Stretch the body full length by drawing the left hand up over the head and extending the right foot at the same time. Stretch each as far as you can. Repeat with opposite hand and foot. Do this several times and then, still lying flat on the floor, do a bicycle movement with the legs, increasing the speed as you go along.

Dear Miss Lane,

In spite of the fact that I bathe daily I am embarrassed by a very strong foot odor which I can't seem to do away with. I use deoderant powder but it does not seem to help very much. Can you help me at all? I'll be very grateful if you can.

T.

Daily bathing is of course, essential. However, don't use soap on your feet. You will find that soaking your feet for a while each day in warm water and bicarbonate of soda will do more good than anything. Change your stockings every day and don't wear the same shoes too long at a stretch.

Remember that it is important to dry the feet carefully after soaking them and dusting them with talcum powder will add to your comfort.

Rags Wanted—RECORD HERALD

Cat Tales by Pusey

Five Hour Old Tot Insured By Dad

DES MOINES, Ia., Jan. 00 (U.P.) Marion Jeanette McQuillan, the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Edward D. McQuillan of New Garus, Wis., probably holds the distinction of being the youngest person to whom an insurance policy ever was issued. Marion's father applied for a $1000 endowment policy on his daughter when she was five hours old. The policy was issued by a Des Moines company.

Fast Justice Marks Trial Of Check Man

HASTINGS, Neb., Jan. 00 (U.P.) —This is merely an example of the speed with which justice functions in Hastings.

Harry Stertz of this city, was arrested late one afternoon recently and next morning was sentenced in district court to four years in the penitentiary and fined $500.

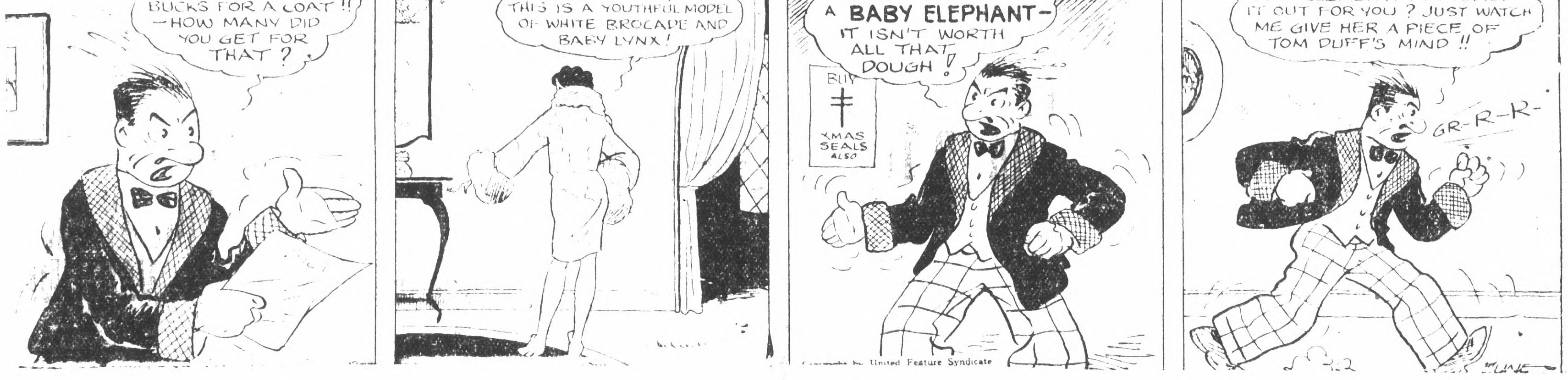
He was charged with forging a check for $24.50.

FINANCES A HOME

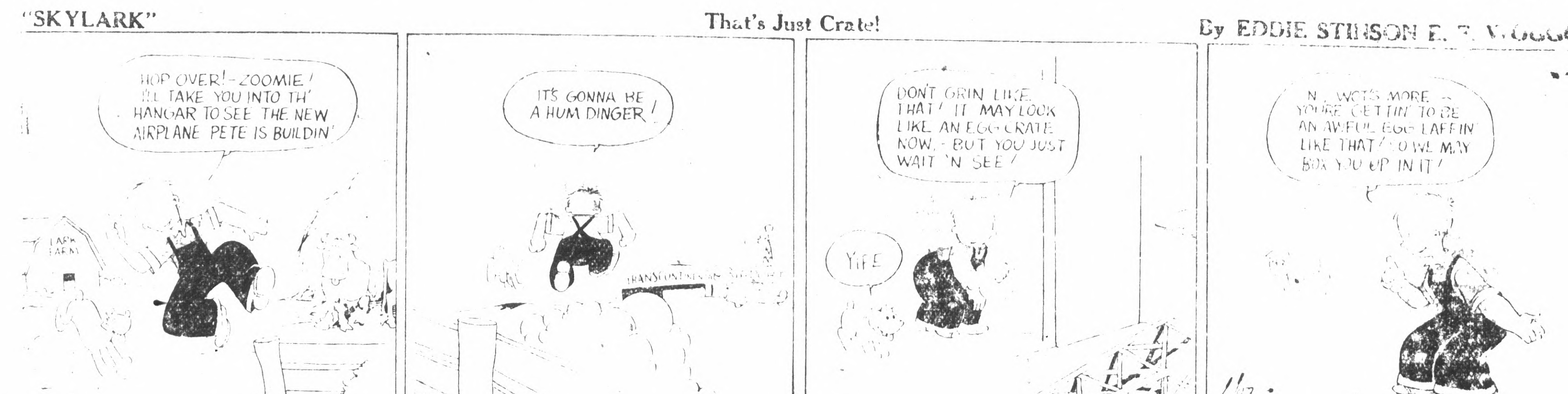
HUNTINGTON, Pa., The local American Legion is nearing a goal of $5,7000 pledged to build a community building to be centrally located and widely used by organizations.

THE OUTLINE OF POLAR EXPLORATION — Fatal Voyage — By R. A. WOLFE

DOINGS OF THE DUFFS — On the Warpath — By BUFORD TUNE



"SKYLARK" — That's Just Crate! — By EDDIE STINSON



YOUNG BUFFALO BILL — The Fox is Worried — By HARRY F. O'NEIL

Auxiliary Of U.V.R. Seats New Leaders

With national and department officers present, Richmond auxiliary United Veterans of the Republic installed its recently elected officers last night in Memorial hall.

Mrs. Marie Clarkson of San Francisco, first national president, was installing officer. Other officers present were Mrs. May Patterson, past department president; Mrs. Martha Rice of San Francisco, department president; Mrs. Nora Lines of Oakland, department junior vice president; Mme. Mae Mallue of San Francisco, national patriotic instructor; Mrs. Mame Grove of Vallejo, department musician and Mrs. Nora Shepper of San Francisco, department guard.

The floor work was presented by the color team of Vallejo.

Officers of the Richmond auxiliary installed were Mrs. Gertrude Sherman, president; Mrs. Viola McChristian, senior vice-president; Mrs. Josie Neville, junior vice-president; Mrs. Lillian Jones, patriotic instructor; Mrs. May Keltz, treasurer; Miss Mary Jette, conductress; Miss Ellen Regan, guard, Mrs. Alice Parks, trustee; Mrs. Gussie Both, councilor and Mrs. Della A. Truitt, chaplain.

Visitors were present from San Francisco, Oakland, and Vallejo. A banquet was served following the installation. Tables were decorated in pink roses and ferns. The committee in charge consisted of Mrs. McChristian, Mrs. Rose Doolittle, Mrs. Alice Parks and Miss Ellen Regan.

Bouquets and gifts were presented to each of the officers.

POINT DRUIDS LAY PLANS FOR BIRTHDAY FETE

Plans for the celebration of the birthday of the Point Richmond circle of Druids were arranged last night at a session in the Druid hall.

It is planned to have a business meeting, a social and a banquet in observance of the birthday of the group.

Mrs. Violet Green, arch druidess of the Circle, was in charge of the meeting last night.

RICHMOND CLUB MEMBERS WILL ATTEND MEET

Richmond clubwomen will attend the district convention to be held by the Federated Women's club in Oakland Jan. 9, according to an announcement made yesterday. Reservations will be received for the luncheon not later than tomorrow.

Dr. J. Whitcomb Brougher of Oakland will be the speaker of the day. Lakeview and Oakland clubs will furnish the music during the day.

Richmond Women Attend Meeting In Santa Cruz

Five members of the Richmond lodge of Moosehart attended the installation of officers held by the Santa Cruz chapter in Santa Cruz Thursday night.

The Richmond women attending the ceremonies included Mrs. Minnie Phillips, Mrs. Velma Mae Quinn, Mrs. Nellie LaLone, Mrs. Rook and Mrs. Marie Lee Kelly.

Alwun Club To Meet Friday

The session of the Alwun club scheduled for yesterday, will be held next Friday afternoon, according to an announcement made yesterday.

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Will Marry Publisher

SOCIETY FOLK have been deeply interested by the announcement of the engagement of Conde Nast of New York, publisher, to Miss Leslie Foster of Chicago and Lake Forest, Ill.

ADMIRAL DEWEY POST INSTALLS NEW LEADERS

Robert L. Benton was installed as commander of Admiral Dewey post United Spanish War Veterans at installation ceremonies held last night in Memorial hall. Otto Poulsen was installing officer and J. E. Robbins was master of ceremonies.

Other officers installed were H. M. Stearns, senior vice president; E. E. Phillips, junior vice president; J. T. McCormick, adjutant; J. E. Robbins, quartermaster; J. J. Gilmore, trustee; C. H. Jungstrom, patriotic instructor; Theodore Kaphan, historian; Dr. W. M. Bullock, surgeon; T. R. Graham, chaplain; C. Schmidt, officer of the day; T. E. Johnston, officer of the guard; H. E. Hunt, sergeant major; P. Beedy, quartermaster sergeant; A. Rodas and H. Klotsch color bearers and Thomas Nee, musician.

MIRAMAR GROUP HOLDS SESSION IN HALL HERE

The first meeting under the direction of the new officers was held last night by the Miramar chapter, Order of the Eastern Star. Mrs. Helena Myers, worthy matron and Edwin Axelson, worthy patron presided.

Following the session a program was enjoyed. The Arcme club was in charge. The program included piano selections by Emma Meyer, readings by Marjorie Wood, violin selections by Miss Audrey Wilson, accompanied by Miss Vivian Vaughan and vocal selections by Wilson Taylor, accompanied by Miss Meyer.

Refreshments were served and a social evening was enjoyed at the banquet tables.

The next session of the lodge will be held Jan. 21 in the Masonic hall.

Zephur Rebekahs Install Tonight

Officers will be installed by the Zephyr lodge of Rebekahs tonight in the Odd Fellows hall under the direction of Mrs. Louis Arnold of Crockett. The ceremonies will be open to Odd Fellows, Rebekahs and friends. Dancing will follow the ceremonies.

Mrs. Edna Howard, Noble Grand has called a business meeting to be held prior to the installation.

W. B. A. To Attend Ancleto Funeral

Members of the Women's Benefit association will attend the funeral services of Frank Ancleto whose death occured last Wednesday. The services will be held at 1:30 o'clock this afternoon from the Wilson and Kratzer chapel.

AT HOTEL CARQUINEZ

Arrivals at the Hotel Carquinez yesterday were Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Dobs of Bakersfield, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Van Gundy, O. W. Doane, L. A. Randall and E. Colclough of Fresno, B. K. Sandidge of Tracy, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Johnson of Stockton, Mr. and Mrs. G. Lincoln and T. G. LaBlanc of Los Angeles and Mr. and Mrs. K. Layton of Fresno.

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M. W. A. Lodge Will Install Heads Jan. 18

Plans for installation of officers to be held jointly with Maple camp Royal Neighbors of America were made last night by Richmond camp Modern Wodmen of America in Redmen hall. The event will be held Jan. 18 in Redmen hall.

H. V. Reese, national lecturer will be installing officer. The committee in charge of arrangements for a banquet consists of H. W. McCausland, L. Hill and F. Moore. Earle Howell presided over the business session last night.

REBEKAH GROUP INSTALLS NEW OFFICERS HERE

Installation of officers was held by Richmond lodge of Rebekahs last night in Odd Fellows hall with Mrs. Louise Arnold of Crockett, district deputy president, and her staff exemplifying the work.

Those installed were Miss Erma Skow, past noble grand; Mrs. May Tillman, noble grand; Mrs. Ally Johnson, vice grand; Mrs. Margaret Shea, recording secretary; Mrs. Mabel Chapman, financial secretary; Mrs. Mary Bonham, treasurer and Mrs. Minnie Damon, trustee. Miss Erma Skow will be past noble grand.

Mrs. Hazel Campbell is warden, Mrs. Nellie Bernard conductress; Mrs. Agnes Miller, musician; Mrs. Viola Stetelmyer, right supporter to the noble grand; Mrs. Clara Wooster, left supporter; Mrs. Miriam Phillips, chaplain; Mrs. Amy Pearson, right supporter to the vice grand; Mrs. Rose Frazer, left supporter; Mrs. Anita Miller, inside guard and Mrs. Idris Linebaugh, outer guard.

Each of the incoming and outgoing officers was presented with gifts and bouquets of flowers. Miss Skow was presented with her past noble grand pin and Mrs. Talitha Edgar, secretary of the Odd Fellows Hall association was presented with a gift of silver in appreciation for her work.

A banquet was served by a committee headed by Mrs. Bernard.

VIOLA ALLEN PAID HONOR AT PARTY IN HOME

Miss Viola Allen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Allen was honor guest at a party given recently in the Allen home on Gaynor avenue.

Among the guests were: Eva Sorensen of Modesto; Esther Doreal, Marguerite Esola; Sarah Hathaway, Georgetta Paulsen, Lois Show, Evalda Allen, Dorothy Hathaway, Sterling Kitchen, Mable Waite and Viola Allen.

David Shoemaker, Earl Jester, John Freeze, Donald Shoemaker, Herman Myers, Donald Seawright, Fred Heeger, John Pollakasky, John Abbay, Carl Paulsen, Vernon Allen, Donald Sentman of San Bruno and Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Osborne, Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Allen and Mrs. T. J. Hathaway.

JUNIOR MUSICAL GROUP TO MAKE DEBUT ON RADIO

Club Mendelssohn's newly formed junior organization will make its debut over radio station KGO Monday afternoon from 2:30 to 3:30 o'clock.

The program to be presented by the local girls includes:

Piano solo .... By Emma Meyer
"Valse Brillante" Mana Zucca
Trio number—Emma Meyer, piano, Ida Engelking, cornet, Helen Cunningham, cello.
"Old Refrain" ..... Kreisler
Piano solo ——By Virginia Lee
"Rigoletto Paraphrase" ..Liszt
Trio number—Vivian Vaughan, piano, Audra Nell Wilson, violin; Madeline Whittlesey, cello.
"O My Beloved Daddy" —Puccini
Piano solo ....By Grace Lowell
"Romance in D flat" ..Sibelius
Violin solo —By Audra Nell Wilson.
"Son of Pusvta" — Keller Bela
Cello solo —By Madeline Whittlesey.
"Trantelle" ..... Squire

Beacon Chapter Meets Tonight

Beacon Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star will hold its business session tonight under the direction of Mrs. Ruby Johnson, junior past matron. Mrs. Johnson will preside in the absence of Mrs. Olive Leigerwood, the newly elected worthy matron who was seriously injured in an automobile accident recently. Worthy patron J. E. Hill will assist.

World Travelers Feted At Party

Mrs. Charles Cecil entertained at her home, 618 Fifth street recently in honor of Stanford Brent, Paul Basham, Louis Thompson and Charles Cecil who have just returned from a world tour. The boys were members of the ship's orchestra on the President Hayes of the Dollar line.

Annual January PRE-INVENTORY SALE

Values Throughout In Useful Homefurnishings!

Throughout the store are groups, broken lines and odd pieces that must be cleared away before we take inventory. Former prices have been forgotten . . . sale prices are in order. In every department there are scores of bargains . . . Furniture, Rugs, Draperies, Bedding, etc., featuring extraordinary price reductions. Make your list and buy now at Breuner's during the Pre-Inventory Sale.

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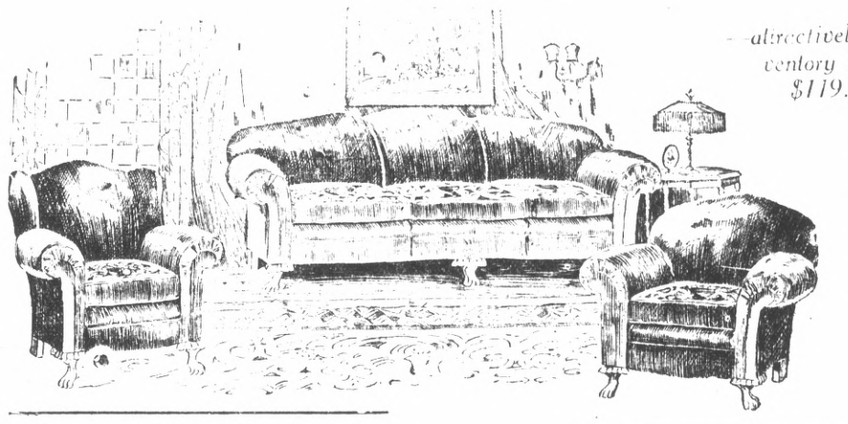

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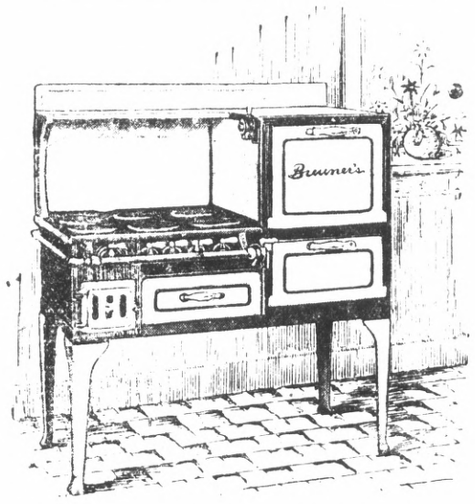
The illustration gives some idea of the graceful lines of this Dining Suite that Breuner's has entered in the sale at a great price reduction. Finished in walnut veneers the extension table extends to 6 feet and the chair seats are upholstered in blue leather.

Breuner's Special Range



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BULLETS RAIN ON ACTORS IN DUEL

Bullets flew on the set when William Boyd and Alan Hale staged their dam workers' battle over the affections of Jacqueline Logan, during the filming of the comedy drama "Power" which is now playing at the Richmond theater.

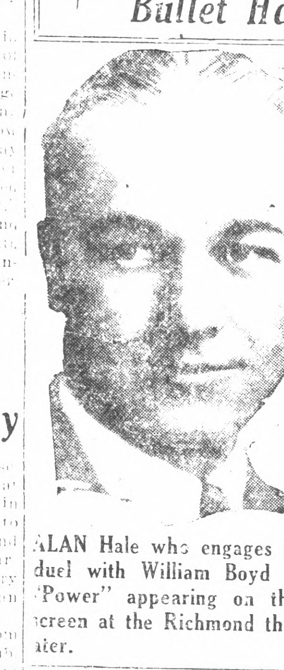
Director Higgin planned to have Boyd and Hale do their shooting in a small hostelry at Gardenia but the proprietor vetoed it when he found that the bullets would puncture the furniture. So the lobby set was built and the men opened up on each other with thirty eights. "It was harder work missing that big bozo," Boyd said later, "than it would have been to hit him." Whereupon Hale countered: "Boyd is-er-so small and insignificant that I just naturally shot all around him."

The wildly jealous lovers in the scene had peppered most of the chairs and perforated a davenport to the point of wreckage when one of them, with sagging jaw, espied through the window Miss Logan rapidly going away from there arm in arm with her boy friend. The battle stopped abruptly and heads of "Front," phone girl, porter, bellhop and lobby loungers rose slowly into view above the level of the counters . . . the cruel war was over.

Wont Be Long

RALPH INCE and Estelle Taylor in a scene from "Singapore Mutiny" which is closing its engagement at the California theater tonight.

Showered By Bullet Hail



ALAN Hale who engages in duel with William Boyd in "Power" appearing on the screen at the Richmond theater.

MUTINY NEARS CLOSE ON SCREEN

In the confined area of a freight steamer on a long voyage through tropic seas, with withering heat beating down upon it day after day, it is inevitable that human passions should have unrestrained play. When to this is added the prescence of a fascinating woman passenger whose wiles turn the heads of a half dozen men and set them to battling with each other for her smiles, the tense drama of the situation may well be imagined.

The is the unusual setting of FBO's powerful melodrama of the high seas, "Singapore Mutiny," closing at the California theater today with Ralph Ince and beautiful Estelle Taylor in the leading roles.

In addition to playing the role of a stokehold bully whose abuse of his men leads to mutiny and shipwreck, Ince directed the photoplay with a fine sense of dramatic values. Miss Taylor's characterization of the adventuress on the Singapore bound tramp steamer, is declared to be the most outstanding of her brilliant screen career. Others in the cast are James Mason, Gardner James, Martha Mattox, Harry Allen, Francis Newberg, Robert Gaillard and Carl Axzelle.

Rotary Told Of Conclave Held In Japan City

The hospitality of the Japanese hosts to the Rotary delegation at the Pacific conference held in Tokio last October was told to the members of the Richmond Rotary club in the Hotel Carquinez yesterday noon by Harry Maxfield, mining magnate of San Francisco.

Maxfield was a delegate from the San Francisco Rotary club. Delegations were present from United States, Australia, New Zealand, China, Philippines and Hawaii and other countries bordering on the Pacific. The conference was held to promote a better understanding among the peoples of the western world.

The delegates were entertained in many Japanese private homes and Maxfield stated that he enjoyed the session as much as any of the Rotary International conventions. W. J. Richards, Jr., was chairman of the day.

Last Rites For H. G. Stidham Held Yesterday

Funeral services were held yesterday from the Wilson and Kratzer chapel for Homer G. Stidham, Richmond pioneer. Rev. F. H. Prince officiated. The Point Lodge of Masons were in charge of the services. Interment was in the Sunset View cemetery.

Pall bearers were George Topping, T. H. Fraley, A. S. Whitesides, I. D. Owens, C. D. Whitcomb and H. A. Silver.

Stidham passed away at his home after a brief illness on Wednesday morning. He was for a number of years a prominent figure in the real estate and insurance business here.

Mother Of Local Teacher Succumbs

Mrs. Zelia A. Moody, mother of Miss Edith Moody, principal of the Peres grammar school died suddenly in San Carlos where she was visiting her children according to word received here yesterday. She was buried in The Dalles, Ore.

Deceased leaves a husband who will make his home in Richmond with Miss Moody. She also leaves two sons.

Mrs. Rosalez Rites To Be Held Monday

Funeral services will be held at 9:30 Monday morning from the family home for Mrs. Ancelia Rosalez who passed away at the Mexican quarters here yesterday morning. Deceased was a native of Mexico and was 49 years of age. She leaves a husband, Francisco Rosalez, and five children.

Interment will be in the Sunset View cemetery.

BIRTH RECORDED

A birth certificate for a daughter born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brue Hamilton of 637 Forty-first street was filed with the city health department yesterday.

VICTOR, R. C. A. IN GIGANTIC MERGER

NEW YORK, Jan. 4 (U.P.)— A gigantic merger of momentous import to the future of broadcasting, phonographs and talking moving pictures was announced today. It involves the Radio Corporation of America and the Victor Talking Machine company.

In terms of money, the unification means the combination of approximately $600,000,000. In general terms of interest to the public much more is involved.

Specifically instead of fighting each other, it means close co-operation and simultaneous and complementary development in their own distinct fields of the three biggest methods of providing mechanical entertainment.

Radio in Talkies

Radio already had gone into the "Talkie" business. Now the patents of the phonograph company will be brought into use to the fullest extent in developing radio broadcasting and talking pictures, while in its own field the phonograph will be developed with the aid of the other departments in the merged company.

Perhaps the most romantic side of the merger is the rise of radio. Five years ago its stock sold for $10 a share. Today it closed at $395. It has risen, roughly, 200 points in a year.

Capital Involved

An approximate total of the capital involved in the unification follows:

Radio Corporation:	
Common stock, value today's close	$454,383,000
Preferred stock, par value	19,779,870
Total	$474,162,870
Victor Talking Machine:	
Common stock, value today's close	$89,284,272
Prior preferred, par value	20,926,200
Convertible preferred, par value	12,189,700
Total	$122,400,172
Grand Total	$596,583,042

Actually the total is greater, the preferred stocks are selling a little above par.

As to the stock market aspect of the merger, there is to be a five for one split of new radio stock for old common stock. This will be a greater floating supply of stock and it is expected that "technical corners" in most instances, if not all, will be eliminated. These have caused fast moves up and down in the stock.

The merger was agreed upon at separate meetings today of the boards of directors of the two companies.

C. E. Blanchard Funeral Monday

Funeral services for C. B. Blanchard, Richmond pioneer will be held from St. Mark's church at 9:30 Monday morning. The cortege will leave the Curry chapel at 9 o'clock.

Blanchard leaves a widow, Mrs. Mary E. Blanchard and a foster daughter, Mrs. Agnes Rhoda of Los Angeles.

Blah! Blah!

CHATTERING ALONG. Four of the noun and verb addicts who participated in Milton Crandall's talking marathon in New York recently. (Above) D. F. O'Brien, Mlle Marie E. Guimpere; (below) Helen Mersin and "Chief" Hawk, presumabl ya Harlem Indian. The crowds were noticeable by their absence, staying away in droves.

Radio News

6:00 To 7:00 A. M.
KPO—Health hour.
7:00 To 8:00 A. M.
KFRC—"Simpy Fitts".
KPO—Exercises.
KFWI—(7:30) Health exercises
KJBS—Early Bird program.
KLX—Exercise.
8:00 To 9:00 A. M.
KFRC—Musical recordings.
KLX—Classified Adv. hour.
KYA—Morning Glories.
KJBS—Favorite recordings.
KPO—Happy Times.
KTAB—Tabloid of the air.
9:00 To 10:00 A. M.
KLX—Jackson Furniture program
KJBS—Musical feature.
KFWI—Studio features.
KGO—California Home Life.
KPO—Dobbsie's Daily Chat.
KTAB—Prayer service; home economics.
10:00 to 11:00 A. M.
KLX—Jackson recordings.
KFRC—Studio program.
KPO—Annabelle Lee.
KJBS—Musical program.
KFWI—Musical program.
KTAB—Recordings.
KGO—California Home Life.
KQW—Helpful Hour.
11:00 To 12 Noon
KLX—Jackson Furniture Co.
KTAB—Restful hour; recordings
KFRC—Auditions; church announcements.
KGO—Rembrandt trio.
KJBS—Musical program.
KFWM—Recordings.
KPO—NBC program; Towne Cryer
KLS—Recordings.
12:00 NOON TO 1:00 P. M.
KLX—Geo. Otto's Hawaiians.
KPO—Lillian R. program.
KFWI—Luncheon program.
KYA—News items, music.
KGO—Rembrant trio.
KTAB—Organ recital.
KFRC—Sherman-Clay concert.
KQW—News, etc.
KLS—Melody hour.
1:00 To 2:00 P. M.
KLX—Jean's Hi Lights.
KYA—Sunshine hour; records; talk
KTAB—Organ; recordings.
KJBS—Musical program.
KFWM—Edna's hour.
KPO—Jerry Jermaine.
KQW—Studio program.
KLS—Request program.
2:00 To 3:00 P. M.
KLX—Records.
KJBS—Art Fadden, pianist.
KTAB—Recordings; Joseph Carey Songsters.
KYA—Solon orchestra.
KFWM—Edna's hour; talk.
KQW—Studio program.
KLS—Request program.
3:00 To 4:00 P. M.
KJBS—Variety hour.
KYA—Bridge party hour.
KTAB—Recordings; Chuck Thole
KFWM—Musical bridge.
KQW—Musical program.
4:00 To 5:00 P. M.
KLX—Chas. Besserer at Scottish Rite organ.
KFRC—Features.
KPO—Town Cryer
KJBS—Recordings.
KYA—Records.
KGO—Concert orchestra.
KTAB—Tea hour.
KFWM—Organ; Happiness program.
KYA—News.
KQW—Sunshine hour.
5:00 To 6:00 P. M.
KLX—Brother Bob; Curtain Calls
KPO—NBC program.
KFRC—The Story Man.
KTAB—Frolic hour.
KYA—Who's Who period.
KGO—National orchestra.
KFWM—Studio program.
KQW—Features.
6:00 To 7:00 P. M.
KLX—Hotel Oakland concert.
KYA—News; Golden Gate Cryer
KTAB—Songs; Twilight hour
KFWI—Studio program.
KPO—NBC program.
KFRC—Organ recital; orchestra.
KGO—The Three Boys; sport review.
KQW—Market reports; Farmers' Exchange.
7:00 To 8:00 P. M.
KLX—News reports; Bagdadians
KFRC—Don Lee chain program.
KGO—Lucky Strike program.
KYA—ABC program.
KTAB—Concert orchestra.
KPO—NBC program.
KFWM—Doc Herold.
KQW—News; osteopath convention.
8:00 To 9:00 P. M.
KLX—Chas. T. Besserer, organist; studio program.
KFRC—Don Lee chain program.
KTAB—Studio program.
KFWI—Studio program.
KPO—NBC program.
KYA—A. B. C. program.
KFWM—Watch Tower program.
KGO—Carnival.
KQW—State Realty board convention.
9:00 To 10:00 P. M.
KLX—Dance program.
KPO—Gordon Henderson's Palm Court orchestra
KFWM—Variety hour.
KYA—Union Oil program.
KGO—Golden Legends.
KFRC—Hotel Mark Hopkins orchestra.
KTAB—Studio program.
KQW—State Realty Board convention.
10:00 To 11:00 P. M.
KYA—Union Oil program.
KPO—NBC program.
KGO—Big Show.
KFRC—Amos'n Andy; orchestra.
KTAB—Concert trio.
KFWM—Studio program.
11:00 To 12:00 Midnight
KFRC—Concert orchestra.
KPO—NBC program.
KTAB—Recordings.
KYA—Union Oil program.
KGO—The Big Show.
KFWM—Studio program.
MIDNIGHT ON
KTAB—The Night Owl.
KPO—Midnight Review.

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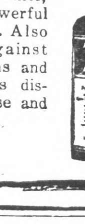

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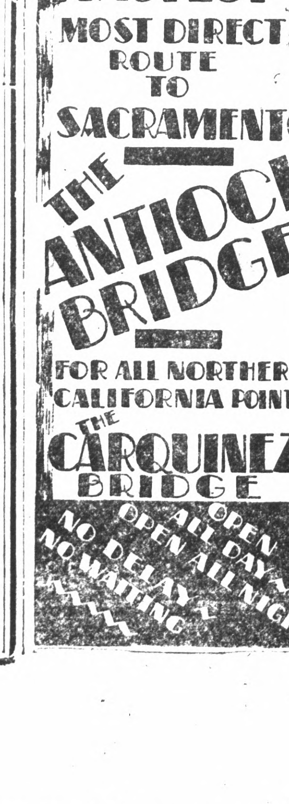
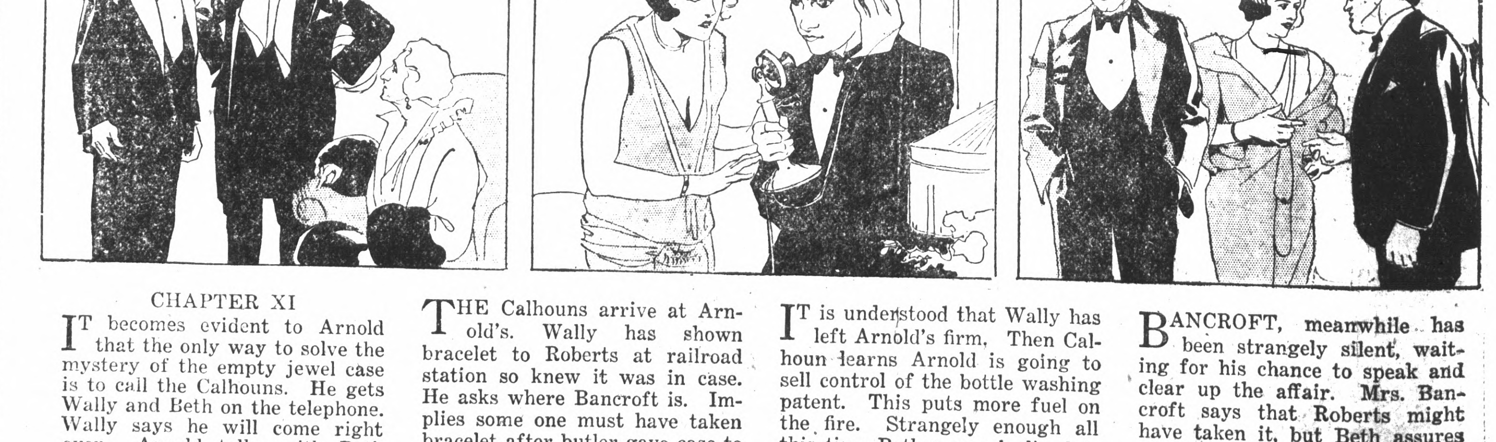


THE HOME TOWNERS

BY JOHN LEARY PELTRET
FROM WARNER BROS. "ALL TALKING" VITAPHONE PICTURE
BASED ON THE COMEDY BY GEORGE M. COHAN

SYNOPSIS—Arnold invites Bancroft, his chum, to be best man. Bancroft arrives, becomes suspicious of fiancee and family, creates row, engagement broken. Fiancee's brother returns wedding gift bracelet to Arnold, case empty when opened later.



CHAPTER XI

IT becomes evident to Arnold that the only way to solve the mystery of the empty jewel case is to call the Calhouns. He gets Wally and Beth on the telephone. Wally says he will come right over. Arnold talks with Beth and urges her to come and bring her parents. Before they arrive Bancroft says he will go out and ask the butler some more questions about the matter.

THE Calhouns arrive at Arnold's. Wally has shown bracelet to Roberts at railroad station so knew it was in case. He asks where Bancroft is. Implies some one must have taken bracelet after butler gave case to Arnold. They all quarrel over the matter. Finally Bancroft returns, announcing he has sent the butler on an errand. This causes consternation all around.

IT is understood that Wally has left Arnold's firm. Then Calhoun learns Arnold is going to sell control of the bottle washing patent. This puts more fuel on the fire. Strangely enough all this time Beth seems inclined to take sides with Arnold, who assures her it is not the value of the trinket that he cares about, but that he loves her and wants the mystery cleared.

BANCROFT, meanwhile has been strangely silent, waiting for his chance to speak and clear up the affair. Mrs. Bancroft says that Roberts might have taken it, but Beth assures her that Roberts has an income from a twenty million dollar trust fund and that she turned down his offer of marriage because when she met Arnold she knew he was the one man for her.

OFFICERS PROBE THEFT OF FLU GERMS

LONDON, Jan. 4.(U.P.)—Scotland Yard was on the trail of "millions of influenza germs" tonight after Dr. M. R. Brady had informed authorities that there was danger of widespread illness in glass culture tubes, which were stolen from him, were broken and the germs released.

A number of the tubes were stolen today when Dr. W. M. Crofton, bacteriologist, left them unguarded in Brady's automobile. No trace of the thief had been found at a late hour.

"If the tubes are broken there is undoubtedly danger that the contents will cause an influenza epidemic," Brady said. "The cold weather probably would kill the germs if they were exposed to the air but in warm hands or doors or in a warm atmosphere the germs would survive and multiply."

Tubes Gone

Dr. Crofton had placed the germs in the automobile which was parked in the fashionable Westend district. When the physician returned to the machine later the tubes were gone.

"Inasmuch as the germs spread most easily when dried," continued Brady, "it is obvious that, if the culture tubes are dropped in a warm spot, it is likely that they would dry quickly and become pulverized. Then while the germs were still alive they would spread rapidly by wind.

"On the contrary, if they fell in a cold spot the culture probably would remain liquid and only physical contact would start an epidemic."

Motive Unknown

No reason for the theft could be advanced except that the thief might have mistaken the tubes contents for drugs.

The germs were contained in five tubes.

"If these are opened in a thickly populated district, the damage will be serious," Brady said. "Hundreds of persons will run the risk of catching common influenza. The theft also may endanger the lives of patients, or at least, seriously retard their recovery."

School Funds Distributed By County Leader

The Richmond high school has been apportioned $44,147.80 and the Junior high schools here will receive $18,086.80 of the county school funds for the current year according to a report received from William H. Hanlon, county superintendent of schools.

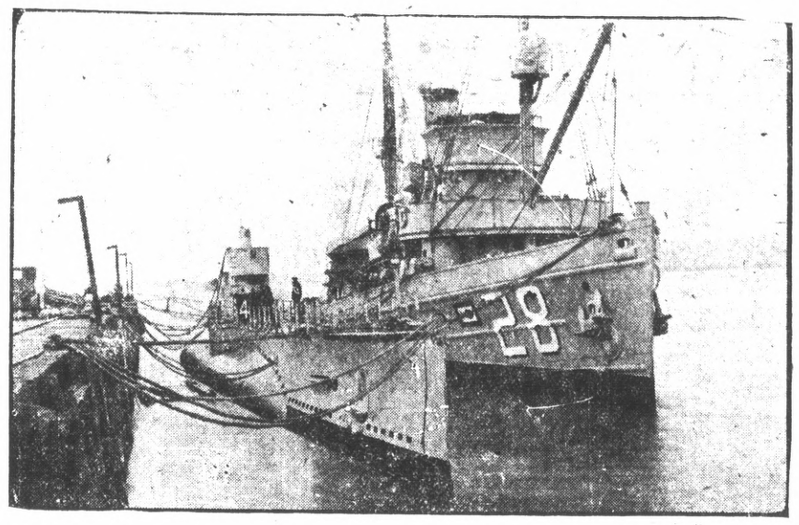
The state apportionment for the county totals $112,673.62. Of this sum $141,261.86 has been given to the high schools and $227,411.76 for the junior high schools.

The Pinole-Hercules school district gets $4,518.32; San Pablo gets $7,559.36 and Giant gets $734.96.

Robert Cox At Pittsburg Meet

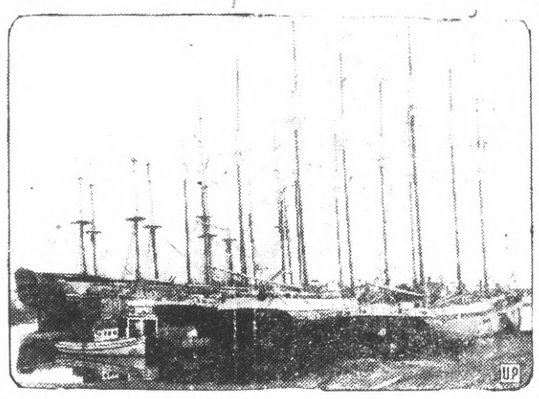
Robert F. Cox, Boy Scout field executive of Richmond, attended the court of honor held by the Pittsburg Boy Scouts Thursday night. Cox awarded a number of merit badges to the Scouts.

Submarine S-4 After Tests



HAVING completed its first successful test of submarine life-saving apparatus, the submarine S-4 is shown at its dock in New London, Conn., with the Falcon which aided in experiments. Further tests are to be made soon.

Glory of Past



FAMOUS old clipper ships and square riggers find a last refuge in the Los Angeles harbor—unmoded by the era of steam. Many of the ships are rehibilitated for the movies.

Santa Fe Line Changes Train Schedule Here

Changes in time schedules on three westbound and one eastbound passenger train of the Santa Fe line in and out of Richmond were announced yesterday by W. B. Traill, Richmond agent. The new schedule will be effective beginning tomorrow. Trains 41 and 42, to and from Fresno, will hereafter have Stockton as their terminus.

Train 41, westbound, formerly arriving here at 12:06 p. m., will arrive at 9:55 a. m. from Stockton only. No. 9 from Chicago is changed from 6.50 p. m. to 6:45 p. m.; and No. 5 from Bakersfield will arrive at 8:40 p. m. instead of 9:07 p. m.

No. 42 to Stockton, only, will leave Richmond at 6:49 p. m. instead of 6.04 p. m. The ferry connecting with this train will leave San Francisco at 6 p. m.

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6600 Pupils To Attend School Forecast Here

When Richmond schools open Monday morning it is predicted that more than 6000 pupils will be enrolled. This will be the first time in history that the number of pupils has exceeded the 6000 mark.

The prediction was based on the natural increase each semester and the total registration for the last semester. When schools closed in December there were 5895 pupils registered here.

In the Richmond high school the 75 students who graduated in December will be replaced by 215 from the junior high schools.

The registrations last semester were: Kindergarten 363; elementary 3019; junior high, 1329; high school, 1842; part time 154; Americanization 175.

Regional Scout Leader To Give Classes Here

Miss Alice Dyer, assistant regional director for the Girl Scouts has been secured to take charge of the Girl Scouts' Leaders' training courses here. Miss Dyer will come to Richmond Friday night to conduct the first class.

Troop leaders for the Girl Scout troops here will be trained under the direction of Miss Dyer.

Richmond women who are interested in Girl Scout work, and who can spare an hour each week have been invited to attend the training courses.

The meeting place will be announced later.

READING AWARD FOR SCOUTS DETAILED

Announcement was received yesterday at the local Boy Scout headquarters of the new merit award for reading.

To obtain the merit badge the Boy Scouts must:

Read at least one book a month for a year before becoming a Second class scout, including among the 12 books read three standard works and three on some phase of scouting. Present a list of books read. Present a book review or tell which books he likes best and why.

Describe the character he liked best in his fictional reading.

If a library is available, present a membership card of the library.

List several books he intends to read in the next 12 months. Tell where he gets his books. Present a list of books he owns.

Name the books which his reading or reading aloud has encouraged his scouts to read. Give the names of boys or girls.

Be a subscriber and a reader of a best magazine for at least six months.

Tell which other magazines he reads and why.

Present a short essay on the value of reading.

The [illegible] requirements have been changed to read:

Swim [illegible] jump or [illegible] slightly over [illegible] a sharp turn and resume a starting point.

Three books of great interest to scouts have been placed in the city library. These books are authorized by the National Council Boy Scouts and will fill a great need of the local scouts, they are as follows:

Tracks and Trails by Leonard Russel; Handicraft for Handy Boys by A. N. Hall; Shelters Shacks and Shanties by Dan Beard. Scouts that are passing tests will find a great many books of information in the city library that have been approved by the National Council Boy Scouts of America.

Work Halted On County Roads

MARTINEZ, Jan. 4. R. R. Arnold, county engineer, announced today that for the first time in many years no contracts are under way on any country road projects. During the past years several contracts for new roads or repairs, construction or reconstruction of bridges has been going on daily, but today the county has not one single project under way by contract.

142 Divorces For County In 1928

MARTINEZ, Jan. 4.—Divorces granted in 1928 totalled 142 and 11 marriages were annulled, according to a report made public today. None of the annulments were of marriages since the three day marriage law went into effect.

Brother Of Local Woman Honored

Mrs. James W. Brackett of Richmond received word yesterday from her brother, Wallace Tervin of Bradenton, Fla., of his appointment as assistant attorney general for the state of Florida. The appointment was made by Gov. John W. Martin.

READ IT FIRST IN THE RECORD-HERALD

FIRE LOSS OF CITY SHOWS INCREASE

An increase of a little more than 100 percent per capita fire loss over 1927 was shown in Richmond during the last year, according to the records of Fire Chief W. P. Cooper.

Chief Cooper stated that despite the increase Richmond still has excellent chances for winning 1928 award.

Fire loss in the city during 1928 amounted to $46,721.85 as compared with $23,253.65 for 1927 for which Richmond was awarded the Pacific Coast and International fire prevention trophies.

The per capita fire loss for 1927 was approximately 11 cents as compared with 23 cents for the last year.

In 1928 there were 137 alarms as against 158 in 1927 showing a decrease in the number of fires. There were only [illegible] false alarms last year as compared with four the previous year.

The average per capita fire loss for the United States is approximately $2.50, according to Chief Cooper, which makes Richmond's per capita loss of 23 cents for the last year exceedingly low.

Divorced Pair Reconciled As Smallpox Aids

LEWISTON, Idaho, Jan. 4. (U.P.)—After being locked up together for 15 days because of a smallpox quarantine, a Lewiston man and his divorced wife apparently have reached a reconciliation.

Three weeks ago Ray Farr visited Mrs. John Hall with Christmas toys for his 4-year-old daughter. While Mrs. Hall's husband peered indignantly outside the house, the said Farr were confined in quarantine. The enforced close companionship lasted 15 days, Hall being denied admittance during the whole period.

What happened during the period of quarantine has not been disclosed. But Thursday night Mrs. Hall and Farr were found unconscious in the snow beside Farr's wrecked automobile. They had started away together for an unknown destination.

Mrs. Hall was taken to her home while Farr will be in a hospital for some time. Their injuries were not serious.

Troop No. 5 Has Business Meet

Troop No. 5 of Richmond Boy Scouts held a short business meeting last night in the Scout Hall under the direction of Glenn Corn, senior patrol leader.

Inspection was held and the inspection pin was won by Leo Cole.

Following the inspection patrol meetings were held. Games were enjoyed after the business session.

Scout Troop 3 Awaiting Test

Boy Scout Troop No. 3 held its session recently in the Scout hall under the direction of Scoutmaster L. Rassmussen.

Two Scouts were presented with tenderfoot badges by the member of the troop committee.

A mobilization call will be issued to the Scouts within a short time. The date has been kept a secret and the boys are preparing for the call.

Woman Injured In Auto Crash

Miss Dora Wilhelmina DeGroop, 25, 2639 Piedmont avenue, Oakland, suffered injuries early yesterday morning when she was struck by a machine on San Pablo avenue in southern El Cerrito. The name of the driver was not learned by the El Cerrito police. The woman was treated at the Humboldt hospital.

Standard Oil Co. Leases Stations

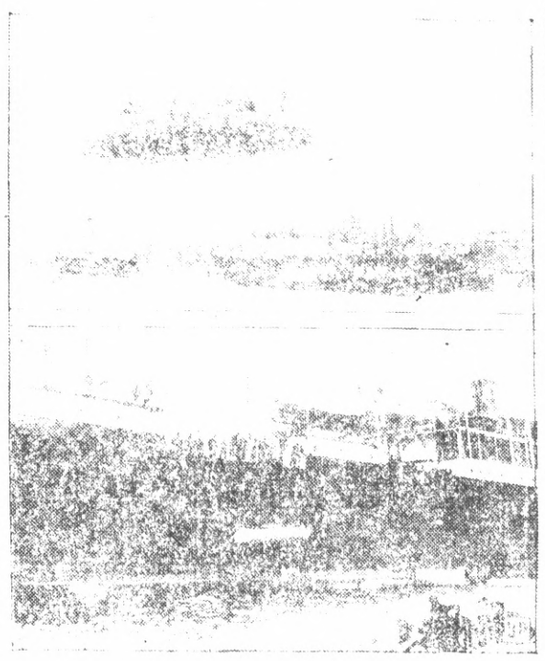
The Standard Oil service station at Fourteenth street and Macdonald avenue has been leased to W. E. Patnott and E. S. Gill local Standard Oil employes, according to an announcement made yesterday. The two will operate the station in the future.

The Standard Oil station at San Pablo and Macdonald avenue has also been leased by the company to Loren Whitlock and L. Paddock. Both are employes of the company.

GEORGE HARVEY SAILS

George Harvey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Harvey of Clinton avenue, sailed recently on board the Standard Oil tanker Hanna for a trip to Australia.

New Life-Boats



DISASTERS have spurred inventors to experiment with new types of life-boats. Upper a German device—"The Sea Gull" boat, inflatable, collapsible, being lowered into the sea. Below the crew of the life boat putting a man in from the water to prove that the craft will not capsize.

Merit Badge Tests Held For Scouts

A large number of Richmond Boy Scouts were examined in merit badge tests last night at a court of review held by the Richmond Boy Scout council in the Roosevelt school under the direction of F. J. Gray.

The boys appeared from various parts of the city and were examined on their work toward badges for bird study, pathfinding, metal work, woodwork, scholarship, citizenship and other tests. A number of boys appeared and were questioned on class work. Several were recommended for second and first class badges.

A court of honor will be held in March, and those boys who succeed will receive badges by the council.

Boys Passing Tests

Boys passing merit badge tests were: Vern Orr, bird study, pathfinding; Robert Grace, silver point metal craft; Everett Howell, woodworking; Clarence Vaughan, scholarship and horsemanship.

Boys passing class tests were: Eben Engell and Hal Chase, troop 9, first class tests; Peter Pi, troop 11, Troop 3, second class tests.

The standards in the tests have constantly been raised by the Board of Reviews and each merit badge Scouts are finding it harder to pass.

Scoutmasters to Meet

The court of review members of ship included T. J. Gray, Harold Garrard, John Opmen, Dr. L. W. Wilthoff, Julius Geritz, T. J. Cole, Walter Martins and Robert F. Cox, field executive.

The Scoutmasters of the troops will meet Tuesday night at the Scout headquarters under the direction of Cox. At this meeting T. J. Gray of the Court of Honor will make his report and Floyd A. Bolt will tell of the plans for the disaster relief work here February 9.

Juen Sing Final Rites Here Today

Funeral services will be held this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Curry chapel for Juen Sing who passed away last Friday at a local hospital. Interment will be at Sunset View cemetery.

Deceased was 68 years of age and had lived in this city 14 years. He was a native of China and lived in Toronto at the time of his death.

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ELEVEN LINERS TO DOCK IN JANUARY

Eleven freighters, representing the Grace Line, will dock at the Port Terminal corporation during the month of January, according to a report made at the port yesterday. A number of these boats may be booked here within the next few days.

A [illegible] of the ships will carry petroleum products [illegible] but some will [illegible] fertilizer [illegible]

The Holland-American liner [illegible] put in here tied up at the [illegible] yesterday. She was [illegible] A trainload of [illegible] from Rotterdam for local [illegible] unloaded and [illegible] of cargo for [illegible] South America will be [illegible] to the docks.

The schedule so far this month is as follows:

Holland-American line, Jan. 1.

Pacific Mail, K Line, Jan. 5.

Pacific Indian, J. J. Moore line, Jan. 6.

[illegible] J. J. Moore line, Jan. 7.

[illegible] Oceanic and Orient Jan. 9.

[illegible] General Line, Jan. 15.

[illegible] Line, General, Jan. 17.

[illegible] Oceanic and Orient, Jan. 18.

[illegible] Jan. 20.

Pacific Mail, K line, Jan. 26.

[illegible] General line, Jan. 28.

Tim McDonough Asks Divorce

MARTINEZ, Jan. 4. Charging that his wife declared she did not love him and that she expressed a desire to marry someone else, Tim McDonough of Richmond today filed suit against his wife, Mrs. Willamina McDonough for a decree of divorce.

McDonough asserted that his wife had told on several occasions, that she had to leave him on other occasions cursed him, remained away for a night and on July 15 last left their home and has since been living in San Francisco.

The suit was filed through Will Robinson, Richmond attorney. The couple was married in 1926.

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Labor Council Meets Wednesday

The Central Labor council will resume activities for 1929 Wednesday, next when it meets at the Brotherhood hall. At that time arrangements will be made for a session to be held in Martinez Jan. 22.

Sciots Form Dinner Club At Meet Here

Organization of the Sciots Six Thirty club took place last night at a dinner in the Richmond club house. The new club is formed of members of the Richmond post of Scouts and will meet at dinner the first Friday of each month preceding the business meeting.

The dinner last night was attended by 40 members. There was community singing, monologues by Roy Patterson and stunts by the members. The dinner was served by the members of Harmony court, Order of Amaranth.

A. L. Poole will be in charge of the next dinner and will be assisted in arrangements by Frank W. P. Cooper, George Lohse and Lloyd Lamberth. A. C. Bishop, president, presided over the business session following the dinner. The next meeting of the permanent club will be held Jan. 18, will be Master Mason night and a program is being arranged.

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Keller's Old Time Mince Meat, 2 lbs.	45c
The Famous Rice with Breakfast Figs	22c
Challenge or Holsum Milk, large cans	9½c
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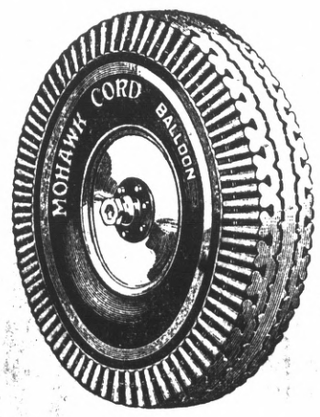

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SPORTS

OKLAHOMA FIVE WINS OVER CROCKETT

CROCKETT, Jan. 4. In a one-sided game here last night the basketball team of the Phillips University of Enid, Oklahoma, defeated the Community Center club unlimited team by the score of 41 to 10. The local players were not able to penetrate the man to man defense of the Oklahoma team and were bewildered by the sparkling, accurate passing and shooting of the visiting cagers.

Spaulding of the University, was the high score man with 11 points to his credit. The crack shooting of Mullens, also of the Phillips team, who made 5 field goals in the last five minutes of play was a sensation to the large gallery of [illegible].

[illegible] by a narrow margin.

Under the direction of Coach Stevens the Community Center club team will put on some stiff practice sessions in preparation for their coming games with some of the outstanding teams around the bay cities. From present indications it looks as though Sparks and Beck will start at forwards with Capt. Joe Marin at the center post and Wise and Kirkhouse at guards.

This combination will meet the Matson Navigators of San Francisco next Saturday at the Crockett gymnasium. A preliminary game between the Community Center club Arrows and the Mare Island Apprentice school will start at 7:45. A girls game will also be played on the same evening between the Balfour Guthrie team of San Francisco and the Community Center club girls team.

King Of Minor Sports

RIEGELS HAS PLENTY OF PLUCK

NEW YORK, Jan. 4. UP Now that the excitement inevitable attendant upon the wrong-way run of Roy Riegels in the Rose Bowl on New Year's Day has died away, it is safe to say that the more lasting feeling among football fans everywhere will be one of real sympathy for California's plucky and unlucky captain-elect.

It is to be hoped that the same courage which enabled the husky young center of the Golden Bears to return to the game in the second half and rip the Georgia line to shreds, outplay Captain Peter Pund of All-American fame and block and recover a kick for California at a critical moment, will help carry Riegels through the difficult period when memory of his blunder still is poignant.

Riegels cannot go tearing through every trying situation as he did through the Tech team in that second half, and it is inevitable that he should feel that everyone he meet will have that unfortunate run of his uppermost in mind.

"Stumpy" Thomason, chunky back of Georgia Tech fumbled on his own 25 yard line, and Riegels, who had been badly battered in line plays opposite the mighty Peter Pund, seized the ball and started across the field.

"I looked around and saw some goal posts and made for them," he explained afterwards, scoring any one of a number of obvious alibis. The trouble was that Riegels, in the excitment of finding himself free with the ball, saw the wrong goal posts. He ran 70 yards or more towards his own goal and was stopped at the goal line too late to remedy his mistake.

Riegels, heart-broken, for the loss of such a game looms large in the mind of a college boy, deserves every consideration that can be shown him, rather than half-witted comparisons to Fred Merkle and Heinie Zimmerman, whose famous blunders fell in quite another sphere.

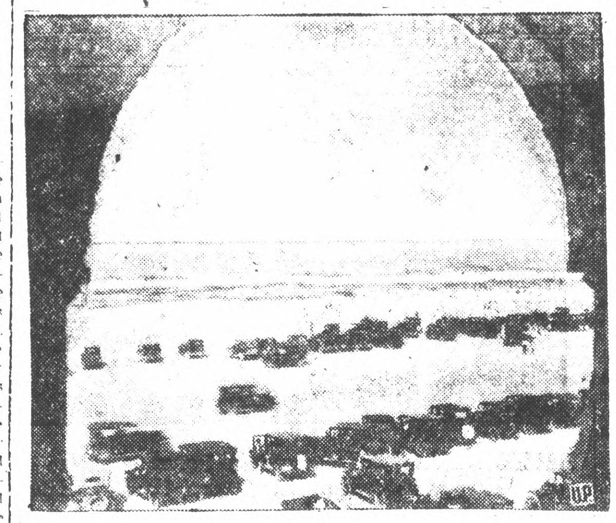
There was once a Northwestern football captain who tackled one of his own men, and instances of football players carrying on for a number of plays entirely unconscious of their actions, but driven by the will to win are numerous in gridiron history.

After all that is what Riegels was doing. He had the will to win, and he was off, on bruised legs, with labored, aching lungs, to run as fast and as far as he could and score for California.

That he ran in the wrong direction has nothing to do with his intentions or his courage.

It is worth hoping that next fall's California eleven, under his leadership, will have a season so successful that Captain Roy Riegel's name will stand for football fame and not for that one mishap of New Year's Day.

Speedy Scene



DAYTONA BEACH, Fla., where Maj. H. O. D. Seagrave, famous British driver, expects to race at a rate of 240 miles an hour in his new car, "The Golden Arrow."

BEAR QUINTET WINS SERIES FROM, KANSAS

OAKLAND, Jan. 4—(U.P.)—Basketball players of the University of California won the series of three games with the University of Kansas by trouncing the visitors in the second contest here tonight 30 to 23.

Kansas played better basketball than on Thursday night, when it was defeated 33 to 22 and was leading at the end of the first half 12 to 11. The one point margin was gained in the last minute of the first period, and California had a new determination when the second half started, rolling up a total of 12 field goals in the entire game against six for the losers.

Verne Corbin, California captain and center was high scorer with 12 points. Perry Ten Eyck, forward, and Ed Larieu, guard, added six points each.

The offense of the visitors was led by Bishop, a forward, and Maney, a guard. Both were forced to start most of their attempts to shoot baskets from the center of the floor but Bishop made eight points and Maney seven.

The final game of the series will be played here Saturday night.

Y CAGERS WILL MEET U. C. JAN. 11

The Y. M. C. A. 130 pound basketball team will meet the California 130 pound team here Jan. 11, according to an announcement made at the Y. M. C. A. It is understood that in all probabilities the game will be played at the Roosevelt junior high school gymnasium although a definite decision has not been made.

The teams have just completed a barnstorming tour of the central portion of the state.

National Rifle Group To Name Heads Wednesday

Election of officers will be held by the Richmond National Rifle association Wednesday night in Woodmen hall. A committee from the Richmond Sportsmen's club will meet with the members to negotiate for the sharing of the Rifle association's range on the upper Skow ranch.

The range is now shared with the Elmhurst Rifle club. Negotiations have been made by the Athens club of Oakland for the use of the range for its members.

Those interested in trap and in range shooting have been invited to attend the meeting. Plans will be discussed for the reopening of the indoor range in the Stiefvater building.

Former Local Boxer Returns To Home Here

H. A. "Kid" Fray has returned here from a sojourn in Southern California and is staying at the home of his mother, Mrs. Julia Fray, 915 1-2 Macdonald avenue.

Fray yesterday affirmed reports that he is planning to start a comeback in the squared circle. Nearly two years ago the youth entered five bouts making a creditable showing.

He has been signed up to meet Frankie Mello in Bakersfield in March. Mello won over Fray in his first bout. Frank Garcia is managing Fray.

While in the south Fray was pitcher for a semi-pro baseball team and has also taken part in basketball and football.

Bodie New Coach For St. Ignatius

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 4. Frank "Ping" Bodie has been signed as baseball coach for the St. Ignatius College, San Francisco, according to a report made today.

Bodie was a Major and Pacific league star for many years. Last year he was with the Mission Bells. He will take his new job Feb. 1.

Schemling Gets First Victory In Tournament

MADISON SQUARE GARDEN, Jan. 4—(U.P.)—Max Schemling of Germany the most promising foreign heavyweight contender to come to these shores in many a day demonstrated his right to a prominent place in Tex Rickard's elimination tournament tonight by decisively beating Joe Sekyra, rugged Bohemian from Dayton, O.

Sonnerberg Wins Wrestling Title From 'Strangler'

BOSTON GARDEN, Jan. 4—(U.P.)—"Dynamite" Tuff Sonnerberg former Dartmouth football star won the heavyweight wrestling crown tonight by defeating Ed "Strangler" Lewis before a wildly cheering mob that jammed the garden to capacity.

Dynamite was presented with the $10,000 diamond belt emblamatic of the championship.

Richmond Cage Team Will Meet Hayward Friday

The Richmond basketball squad will clash with the Hayward cagers Friday night at the Richmond high school gymnasium in the annual "big game" of the year. The contest between the two schools is an annual "classic."

There will be three games, a 110 pound, 130 pound and an unlimited game.

Henry To Quit Pasadena Rose Fete Committee

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 4—(U.P.)—That Leslie B. Henry's connection as a member of the Pasadena Tournament of Roses association and as president of the football committee of the association will be severed was learned today. It is understood that Henry will hand in his resignation Jan. 24.

Henry told newspapermen that he would not be a candidate to succeed himself and that he would not take the presidency of the association if it were offered to him.

While several reasons are given for Henry's decision much can be laid to the break with the University of Southern California which has raised a storm of protest, according to those on the "inside" of the case. Negotiations for the Trojans to play the Rose bowl game this year fell through and Henry was severely criticized in this section.

The fact that Henry was responsible for selection of Marco Hellman, Los Angeles banker, as grand marshal of the Tournament of Roses parade this week, thereby breaking a precedent which has decreed that only a Pasadenan should be so honored also would have a bearing on the case, it was said.

Both Fighters Counted Out In Finish Battle

TAMPA, Fla. Jan. 4.—Billy Long Philadelphia and Al Trout, Cleveland Negro middleweights fought six draws in the course of their pugilistic careers. Something must be done they decided. They got together and decided that they would fight a finish fight. There would be no decision—one must be knocked out by the other.

Last night they met here. In the nineteenth round Long caught a haymaker on the jaw and Trout took one in the midsection. They both sank to the canvas and the referee counted them out.

Hurley Heads Junior Tennis Standing Here

Helen Dunning and James Hurley have been selected as the leading junior tennis players of Richmond. The ratings ware made by H. L. Hunn, principal of the Longfellow junior high school and Miss Ruth Hesbol Healey, who directed tennis tournaments for the elementary schools.

Hurley won the Pop Fuller cup last year and Miss Dunning annexed the Edith Tough trophy recently.

Phillip Carlon, a junior with a promising ability, is rated as second best in the boys group and Jennie Stark, present holder of the Edith Tough trophy was rated as second in the girls group.

The ratings were announced as follows:

1. James Hurley.
2.—Phillip Carlin.
3. Darrow Sutton.
4.—Francis Myhen.
5.—David Robertson.
6.—George Miller.
7.—Raymond Fahrenholtz.
8.—Leonard Coombs.
9. Robert Humphrey.
10.—Joseph Palmieri.

Girls' Rating

1.—Helen Dunning.
2.—Jennie Starke.
3. Sylvia Seawright.
4. Gertrude Heise.
5.—Gertrude Kraitzer.
6. Ruth Stoddard.
7. Maxine Thole.
8.—Grace Westman.
9.—Nel Shults.
10.—Clarre Smith.

VISITOR RETURNS

Claire Donnenwirth of Portola has returned to his home following a visit here with his mother Mrs. C. C. Sanford.

Amateurs Will Get Chance In Pitch Tourney

AGU CALIENTE, BAJA, Cal. Jan. 4. Efforts of the amateurs, that courageous band of worthies ever present in the "money" tournaments of the golfing world, will not go unrewarded in the first $1000 pitch and putt open of the Auga Caliente Country club announces Wirt G. Bowman, president.

Bowman, who at this time also is preparing plans for the holding of the big $25,000 open, over the championship course now being built by William P. Bell, noted California golf course architect released the news this morning that three trophies have been obtained for the event.

The first prize to the amateurs in the tourney will be the Bowman cup. James N. Crofton, of the Auga Caliente company, is offering the second prize and Zemansky the third. The trophies will be awarded for low gross scores.

And while the silverware and tournament experience is attracting the amateurs in their battle against par, the professional, the boys who make golf their business will fight it out for ten cash prizes, the top one being $300 for the winner. The other divisions are: second, $200; third $150; fourth, $135; fifth, $75; sixth, $50 and four prizes of $25 each.

READ IT FIRST IN THE RECORD-HERALD

Tex Rickard Ill In South

MIAMI BEACH, Fla. Jan. 4.—UP—Tex Rickard, millionaire sports promoter has suffered a relapse and is in a dangerous condition, it was learned tonight.

A conference of three physicians was called at midnight at Allison hospital where Rickard was operated on New Year's day for appendicitis.

Coast League Heads To Meet January 12

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 4-The Pacific Coast League directors will hold their meeting Jan. 21. At this time it is hoped that a president of the board will be elected.

Several months ago the directors met in Portland and after a week's hot debate were unable to decide upon a new president for the league.

MARRIAGE LICENSE

Lester W. Skow, 28, of San Pablo Dam road and Miss Lucille H. Mohring, 25, of 1085, Ninty-fourth avenue, Elmhurst, have made application for a marriage license in Oakland. The couple will be married next week.

SAN JOSE VISITORS

Mrs. J. S. Spires and daughter Sarah and Mrs. A. H. McGlamery of Oakland are in San Jose as guests of Mrs. Minnie Pardee, former Richmond woman.

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1.—Lodge and Meeting Notices

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DOOMED PAIR FIGHT FOR LIFE

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imprisonment.

... Responsible

Defense counsel strove unsuccessfully throughout Friday to have a lunacy commission appointed. Despite his refusal to sanction the commission, Judge Simon consented to hear arguments on the pair's sanity and at the end gave it as his opinion that they were mentally responsible.

Immediate steps were virtually certain to be taken to seek a writ of mandamus from the state supreme court to compel Judge Simon to show cause why a lunacy commission should not be appointed. Outcome of that move was the more significant as Gov. Long recently ... the state pardon board recommendation of commutation of sentence.

Execution to Proceed

Judge Simon's ruling came at the end of a ... court day, and meant simply that unless the defense counsel are successful in their application for a writ of mandamus, nothing remains but to proceed with execution of the condemned pair.

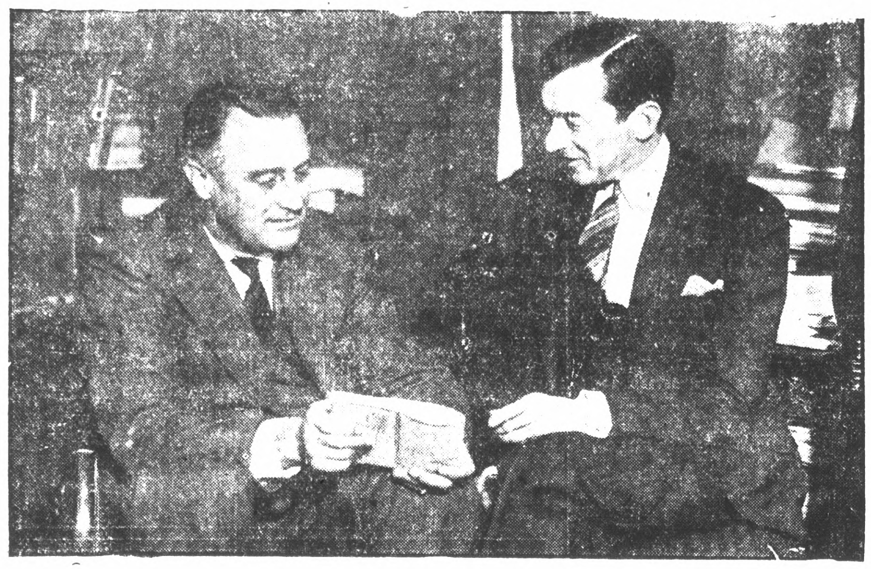
The appeal would be made to Justice Charles O'Neil of the state supreme court, and was expected to be named tonight or early Saturday at New Orleans. If successful, it automatically would stay the execution, but before the appeal can be made to Justice O'Neil the decision of Judge Simon, in writing, must be presented to him.

Woman Ill

Mrs. LeBoeuf, now ill, was borne into the court room on a stretcher, while Dr. Dreher, under heavy guard, was conducted to a chair at the defense table. The condemned pair frequently exchanged glances of recognition, but did not testify. Several physicians told of Dr. Dreher's alleged loss of memory since the extraction of an eye five years ago, and expressed the belief Mrs. Le Boeuf never had fully realized the enormity of her predicament until recently.

Despite the medical testimony, Judge Simon refused the plea for appointment of a lunacy commission and threw the whole matter, apparently, up to members of the supreme court.

Talking Things Over



IN CONFERENCE at New York City home of Franklin D. Roosevelt, (left) new governor of New York and Mayor James J. Walker, talking over needs of traffic relief for New York City. This was one of a series of parleys Roosevelt plans with party chiefs.

TAXPAYER'S GROUP WILL ORGANIZE DRIVE FRIDAY

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the speakers of the evening. F. B. Full, of Richmond, chairman of the county committee will preside. "The work to be carried out by the California State Taxpayers association is to cooperate with public officials in the ... of funds for public improvements," Le Brine stated in an interview last night. "The ... organization is in favor of spending money for improvements but wants it spent in a business way, getting 100 cents in value for every dollar spent.

"It is the plan of this association to ... of their experience to those handling public money. W... want to get as much ... our money ... as a ... man would do with his own private ... his own money.

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DISTANCE MARK CAPTURED BY ARMY ACES

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politan field cut capers about the big ship in tribute to the five history-making fliers in its cabin.

Three Records

With three records—American endurance refueling, world's endurance refueling and world's sustained flight—now bettered the Question Mark had as its immediate objective the 118 hour mark of the ill-fated French dirigible Dixmude for lighter-than-air craft.

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Unofficially believed by army officers here to have covered nearly 5000 miles, the Question Mark also was thought to have broken the world's distance record. The present mark is 4417 miles, set by Capt. Arturo Ferrarin and Major Carlo Del Prete in a flight from Italy to Port Natal, Brazil.

Lauded By Davis

A blackboard ship went up with a congratulatory message to the Question Mark's crew from Secretary of War Davis when they returned here on the sides of the signal craft were chalked.

"Congratulations. I am excited and as delighted as can be."

The Blackboard crew reported that the men in the Question Mark's cabin all seemed well.

Capt. Ira Eaker, Chief Pilot, who takes the control in all refueling contacts, appeared haggard but cheerful, it was said. Maj. Carl Spatz, commander; Lieuts. Elwood Quesaday and A. H. Halverson, pilots; and Sgt. Roy W. Hooe, mechanician, seemed rested and happy.

In Valley Shelter

With the return to Van Nuys, Major Spatz intimated that the Question Mark probably would remain within the shelter of the valley throughout the remainder of its flight.

The refueling plane stationed here was joined by the one from Imperial Valley late today and it was expected that they would work in shifts.

In a message to field attendants, Major Spatz urged that Lt. Ross G. Hall, who piloted the refueler at Imperial during the strenuous hours of record breaking Thursday night be given rest.

Gasoline Ordered

He ordered that 150 gallons of gasoline be given the Question Mark on all day refuelings and 200 gallons on future night refueling. His message:

"Suggest that Hall rest from now on until midnight refueling. He must be very weary. And that Moon (Lt. Odas Moon) gave us supplies in meantime and at daylight tomorrow morning. Hereafter all refuelings during days should be 150 gallons unless otherwise stated, 200 gallons at night. Be sure to follow us to smooth air."

BORAH FINISHES PLEA FOR TREATY

WASHINGTON, Jan. 4—Senator William E. Borah, veteran Idaho republican, now chairman of the foreign relations committee, rested his case for the Kellogg peace treaty late today in the senate.

He sank wearily into his seat after turning the last page of a voluminous manuscript and answering the last of the questions with which he had been bombarded since starting his speech early yesterday.

The multi-lateral treaty now before the senate, he said in conclusion, is "an important step in the cause of peace but only the start of what we will have to do."

Reed To Start

Senator Reed, Missouri democrat, who will lead the opposition to the treaty, was apparently prepared to start his speech this afternoon but requested an adjournment and probably will start tomorrow.

"Sixty nations have adhered to the treaty and I hope the senate will soon follow their example by ratifying," Borah told the senate. "It sets aside the doctrine of force as the sole preserver of peace, which is leading the world to damnation. Civilization is in danger as it was in the evening of the dark ages unless the burden of arms can be lifted from the shoulders of nations."

Most of the running debate today concerned the Monroe doctrine and the right of self defense with both republican and democratic reservationists indicating a determination to adopt a reservation designed to protect them and Borah contending that they are not affected by the pact.

Borah Questioned

Senators Swanson and Glass, of Virginia, and Caraway, of Arkansas, all democrats, questioned Borah concerning this county's right under the treaty if the league of nations were to use force in an effort to settle such a controversy as the recent Paraguay-Bolivia boundary dispute.

"Force has been used by other nations several times in South America and there never has been any objection by the United Stat," Borah replied. "If force is used for amicable settlement of disputes and not for purposes of acquiring power on territory in South America, do not believe the Monroe doctrine would apply."

Senator McLean, Connecticut republican, an avowed reservationist, said he believed the Monroe doctrine was not fully protected under the treaty. He added that Secretary of State Kellogg applied a limitation on the right of self defense in his official explanation of the treaty.

Johnson Talks

In this connection, Senator Johnson, California republican, pointed out that British acceptance of the treaty was predicated on a definite statement of its right to defend certain territories in which it has an interest, which amounted to a safeguard of the "British Monroe doctrine."

Apparently the British government, in stating its right of self defense, has a different understanding of the treaty than Borah, Johnson said.

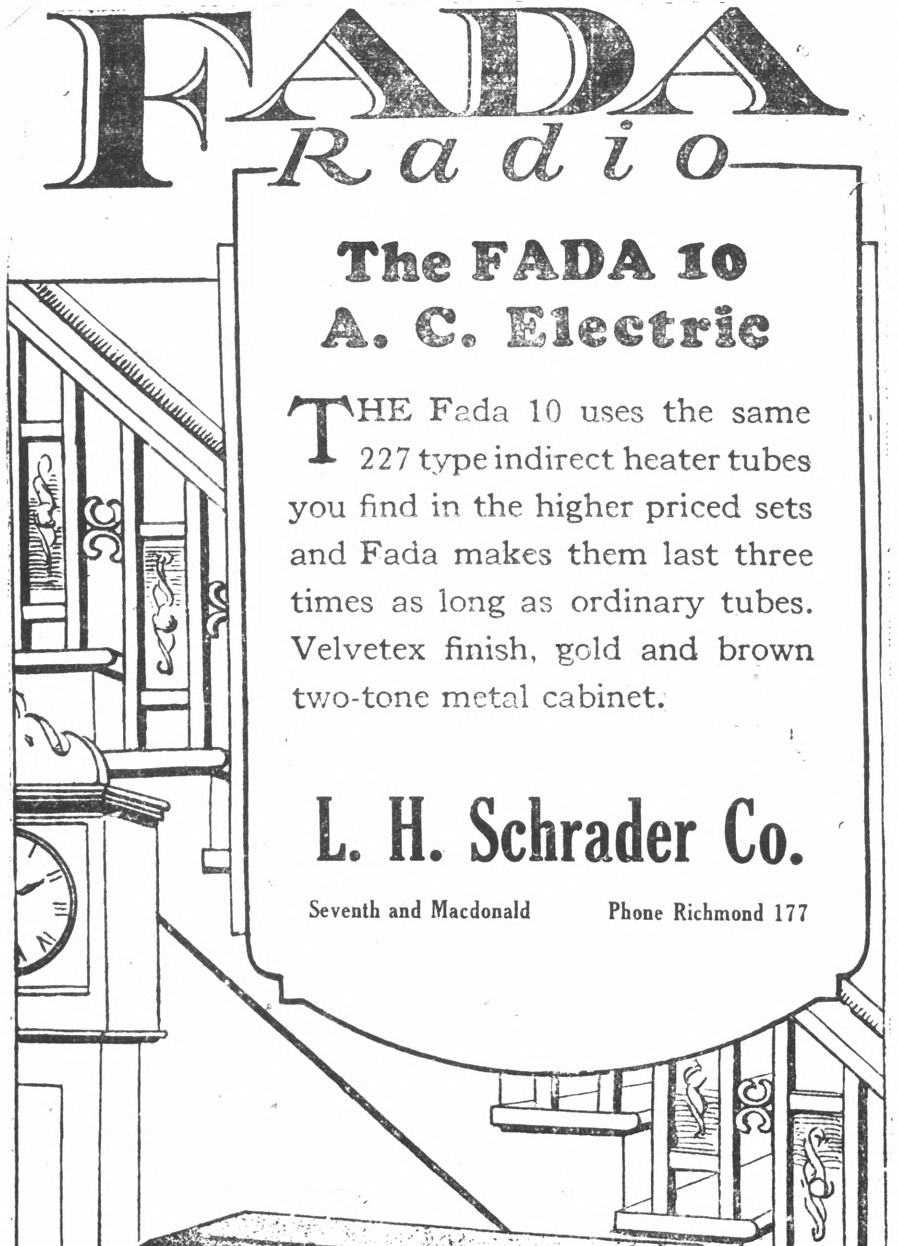
"I believe the American position is stronger in this regard than the British," Borah replied. "The British limit their right of self defense to certain territory. We on the other hand are left free to determine for ourselves what is self defense."

Doctrine Discussed

Asked by Senator Berkley, Kentucky democrat, why Kellogg failed to mention the Monroe doctrine in any of the correspondence on the treaty, Borah said he believed the doctine too well established to require definition. It is now recognized and respected by all the nations of the world, he said.

"If this treaty is ratified we have just as much right to defend or interpret the Monroe doctrine as we did if the treaty had never been thought of," Borah said. "And no amount of correspondence on the subject would have added or detracted from this right just as the British correspondence had no effect on its right of self defense."

Reed and Senator Robinson, Arkansas democrat, jumped to their feet to take issue with this statement. They both said the British notes did modify the treaty. Reed read notes from several nations indicating that their statesmen agree with him about the so-called British reservations.



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Heavy fleeced flannelettes in new stripes and checked designs; will make excellent pajamas and gowns for all the family. Priced at 17c and 23c

25c DAISY CLOTH
Daisy outing flannel is the best flannel for making infants' diapers, kowns, gertrudes, and children's gowns and pajamas; heavy-fleeced; 27-in. wide 17c

HOPE MUSLIN
Hope muslin is a really fine muslin; it is finished soft for the needle; there is no dressing or filling in the fabrics; a standard fabric at a special price ... 14c

BERKELEY NAINSOOK
Berkeley Nainsook, 36 inches wide, close woven fabric that has many uses about the home; interlinings, underwear, and for all things needing a fine fabric 25c

MUNSING UNION SUITS
Discontinued numbers of Munsing women's and children's winter weight union suits; for a quick clearance we have them marked at just half of regular prices 1/2 Off

WOMENS WINTER UNIONS
A special lot of women's fine winter weight cotton knit union suits, sleveless, tight knee, and at a special price of $1.39 and 89c

CHILDREN'S UNION SUITS
For the cold days children need good warm union suits and you will find these garments best suited for that purpose. Some taped and buttoned for the younger ones, priced at 89c and 79c

$1.95 CHIFFON HOSE
A well known brand of fine quality chiffon stockings; they are in good colors, full fashioned, silk to the top, and a regular selling price of $1.95 at special $1.55

CHILDREN'S SOCKS
To effect a quick clearance of children's socks we have placed on a table the greatest offering you will find for a long time. While the lot lasts your choice at .... 1/2 Off

SPORT RIBBED HOSE
California sport ribbed hosiery for women and misses; the colors of black, French nude, gray and beige; a fine quality highly mercerized lisle; reg. 50c, at 39c

STAMPED PIECES
Short lines and odds and ends of higher priced stamped art goods placed onto bargain tables for a quick clearaway; while the lot lasts at a drastic price of each 19c

INFANTS Stamped DRESSES
Values in the lot to $1.50—Dainty infants' stamped dresses, the designs small and easily worked, if you wish to do so. Early selection is advisable 49c

$1.95 MEN'S SHIRTS
Men's dress shirts with collar attached or neck band styles; pleasing patterns for your selection; all sizes, 14 to 17 size, regular $1.95 values at January clearance $1.55

MEN'S FLANNEL SHIRTS
Men's mixed wool and cotton flannel shirts, gray color only; sizes 14½ to 18 collar sizes; a fine shirt for the working man; cut good and full; a real shirt value $1.95

BOYS' BLOUSES
Fine fabrics make these boys' blouses a good value; neat patterns that boys like and mothers will appreciate the wearing and washing qualities of the blouses 79c

MEN'S FLANNEL PAJAMAS
Men's flannel pajamas in neat striped patterns—Slip-over styles; the quality of the material is excellent and the workmanship above the average; special at $1.55

MEN'S FLEECED UNIONS
Winter weight union suits for men in a mottled gray elastic knit fabric; made short sleeve and ankle length, in fact a tailored garment that will give service $1.45

BOYS' UNIONS
Boys' winter weight fleeced cotton union suits; these suits are made short sleeve and ankle length; come in all sizes, 4 to 16 years, values to $1.25 at 95c

MEN'S Wool Mixed SOCKS
A heavy weight wool mixed sock; a mottled brown color; seamless foot, reinforced at heel and toe. You will not find a better value; clearance price 25c

BOYS' WOOL KNICKERS
Boys' wool knickers in a gray mixed pattern cloth; the size range starts at 8 and runs to 15 years; the knickers or golfies are well made; $2.45 value at $1.00

BOYS' LONG PANTS
Boys' wool mixed long pants; the size range starts at 10 and up to 15. The regular price is $1.95. While the stock lasts we feature these at low price of........ $1.00

PART WOOL BLANKETS
Part wool blankets in warm, fleecy, close-woven quality; large black plaids with sateen binding; 72x84 priced at $5.95; 70x80 priced at $1.95 and the 66x80 special at $3.95

Slightly Soiled BLANKETS
We have taken the sample shelf blankets that have become slightly soiled from handling; these include part wool, and all wool types and reduced them at exactly 1/4 Off

FEATHER PILLOWS
A well made feather pillow that has a good quality art tick covering in blue or rose; all new feathers are used in the two featured values at each, $1.59 and at each $1.39

30x40 INFANTS' BLANKETS
His majesty needs warm blankets and these Esmond style, plain colors of pink or blue, 30x40 in size will serve his needs well. A regular 79c quality at special 50c

INFANTS' RUBBER PANTS
Infants' rubber pants that are made from fresh gum rubber, natural and flesh colored, frilled top and at the bottom; pants that retail regularly at 25c; special clearance ... 19c

INFANTS KNIT SWEATERS
For his outdoor hours a warm sweater or sacque should be a part of his wardrobe, you will find a host of styles and color ideas worked out in these price groups. $1.95, $1.45 and $1.00

Stamped Pepperell CASES
Pepperell pillow cases stamped with designs that will appeal to the art needle worker. These will make ideal prizes, gifts, or for home needs 65c

Stamped PACKAGE GOODS
New fall package art goods that includes a great range of smart designs on infants' frocks, gowns, scarfs, luncheon sets, etc. These packages include threads, material and at .... 1/2 Off